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Application Number 10/609,986			Filed 06/30/2003		
For Knee U	Inloading Orthotic Device and Method				
Art Unit 3772			Examiner Michael Brown		
This is a req application.	uest under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.13	36(a) to extend the perio	od for filing a reply in the	above identified	
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	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1640	\$820	\$	
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2230	\$1115	\$	
X Applicar	nt claims small entity status. See 37 CFR	1.27.			
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